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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicants respectfully request consideration of the references listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08A (modified). Since copies of the references **P1 to P195**, and **N22 to N66** were previously submitted in prior U.S. Patent Application Nos. 09/193,172 and 09/505,189, which applications are relied upon for an earlier effective filing date under 35 U.S.C. § 120, copies of those cited references are not being submitted herewith. However, copies will be forwarded at the request of the Examiner. Please also note that references **N67** and **N68** are not currently available and will be forwarded as soon

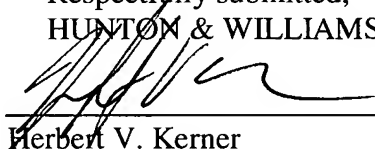
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